

# SIKKIM

## GOVERNMENT



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DEORALI, GANGTOK

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### NOTIFICATION

Whereas in pursuance of the designation of Khangchendzonga Biosphere Reserve for the total area 2619.92 KM<sup>2</sup>, (Core Zone;1784.00 KM<sup>2</sup>, Buffer Zone;835.92 KM<sup>2</sup>) declared vide Ministry's letter No. No.J-22016/76/91-BR, dated 07.02.2000, and subsequently the revision of the total area of the KBR by inclusion of additional area of 311.20 KM<sup>2</sup>, as Transition Zone vide Sikkim Government Gazette, Gangtok, Friday 4<sup>th</sup>. June, 2010 No.243, and in compliance to the provisions contained in the sub-para (d), (f) and (g) of Sl.No.5 of the Ministry's Letter No. J-22016/76/91-BR, Dated 18<sup>th</sup>. August,2010, the State Government hereby constitutes the following Committees in accordance with the guidelines for the ensuring scientific management of the Biosphere Reserve.

#### **I. STATE LEVEL BIOSPHERE RESERVE STEERING COMMITTEE**

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| i) Principal Chief Conservator of Forests-cum-Secretary  | Chairman                            |
| ii) Secretary, Development, Planning, Economic Reforms and North East Council Affairs Department | Member                              |
| iii) Secretary, Finance, Revenue and Expenditure Department                                      | Member                              |
| iv) Secretary, Tourism   | Member                              |
| v) Secretary, Rural Management & Development Department  | Member                              |
| vi) Representative from MoEF, Government of India  | Member                              |
| vii) Scientist In Charge of Botanical Survey of India (BSI)                                      | Member                              |
| viii) Scientist In charge of G.B.Pant Institute  | Member                              |
| ix) Programme Officer (WWF) Sikkim   | Member                              |
| x) Chief Wildlife Warden   | Member Secretary/<br>Nodal Officer. |

#### **II. LOCAL LEVEL COMMITTEE/PROGRAMME COORDINATION COMMITTEE**

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| i) Director (KBR)/ CF (Wildlife)/Joint Director (KBR)   | Chairman |
| ii) President/ Representative from Khangchendzonga Conservation Committee (KCC) Yuksam, West Sikkim | Member   |
| iii) President/ Representative from Mutanchi Lom Aal Shezum (MLAS) Dzongu, North Sikkim             | Member   |